COURSE DETAIL

THE SOCIOLOGY OF HUMAN RIGHTS

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
University of Sussex

Program(s)
University of Sussex

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology

UCEAP Course Number
139

UCEAP Course Suffix
N

UCEAP Official Title
THE SOCIOLOGY OF HUMAN RIGHTS

UCEAP Transcript Title
SOC OF HUMAN RIGHTS

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

In this course, students explore the evolution, contemporary controversies, and ongoing validity of human rights.

Through a range of cases studies around gender, citizenship and migration, torture, the death penalty, development, and corporate abuses of human rights, the course outlines the rise of the human rights regime, analyzes whether we now live in a post-human rights world, and considers the implications for human rights in a post-human era. Students draw on international examples of human rights institutions and violations, including torture in Guantanamo Bay, the death penalty in the US and countries such as Saudi Arabia, and the treatment of migrants and asylum seekers in Europe.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
L3075B

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Host Institution Course Details
https://www.sussex.ac.uk/study/study-abroad-at-sussex/our-programs/semester-and...

Host Institution Campus
University of Sussex

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Sociology and Criminology

Course Last Reviewed
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